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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

BACK TO THE COW, THE SOW AND THE HEN.

M. F. Schuchart was a business man at this office Friday. Miss Elizabeth Holloway spent the weekend in San Antonio. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mechler were visitors in San Antonio Monday. Mr. L. J. Van Fleet spent Saturday and Sunday with homefolks. You get the Silverdry 22 high-cartridge at C. R. Gaines' fruits and candies of all kinds, at ARLE'S CONFECTIONERY. 33-cent pair of Wolverine Shell horsehide work shoes. C. J. Bless. For Sale—Large ice box. Good condition, \$10.00. Apply at this office. Armstrong's Accolac Linoleum, by our experienced men. Leinweber's. Diapho Salt, the effective mineral food for cattle, sheep and goats. Leinweber's. Eads S. Rieber has leased his up-to-date farm and gone to San Antonio to reside. Garments for Spring and summer in all the new weaves and colors. Leinweber's. Miss Chollis Earnest of Eagle Pass is the week-end guest of her cousin Mayme Ernest. Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Coffey and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Schuehrs were visiting in San Antonio Sunday. Mrs. Mary Mohfeld and daughter, Bernice, were visitors in San Antonio over the week-end. Lost—a silk fabric belt, in colors red, black and tan. Dark pearl necklace. Finder please return to this office. Andrew W. Martin was a business man at this office Tuesday. Mr. Martin reports conditions fine on the ranch. Miss Lorene and Fern Mann, are attending school in San Antonio and spent the week-end here with their mother. Leinweber came out from Antonio to spend Sunday with mother, Mrs. F. J. Leinweber, family. Costs little more to produce cream and it brings a premium price. Ask A. A. STOCK at the station. Miss Norene Whitehead of Lubbock is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. Jennings and of her brother, Roy Whitehead. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tschirhart and son of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mechler and sons here yesterday afternoon. Miss Frances Neuman left Friday her home in Lytle, following the Longview school of which she was teacher. Miss Schleitner was a business man at this office Monday and took advantage of our club offer of The Press and FARMING. Found, several months ago—pair shell-rimmed spectacles, silver piece. Black case. Owner appears at the office and pay for this ad. In rent, the McCall home, gas electric lights in every room, phone. On good gravelled street. At \$16.00. See TOM McCALL. Misses Mabel and Elaine Zuber left Friday for their home in stock after a week's visit with relatives and friends in Dunlap and so on. J. G. Barry and little daughter returned Saturday from Smithville, over the week-end. They are classmates at Our Lady of Lake College in San Antonio. They are especially anxious to get in touch with this paper early in the morning of Thursday each week, you can greatly aid us by giving your copy early.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Leinweber and children and Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Taylor and little son, Blanton, motored to the Medina Lake Sunday afternoon. They report the lake to be on a big rise. Miss Madeline Drotcourt of San Antonio spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Drotcourt.

For HEMSTITCHING see Miss Bertha Newton, one block east of Waterworks or telephone 79. 4tpd. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Locke of Natalia visited Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Matocha here one day this week.

Miss Dorothy Finck of San Antonio visited relatives here several days this week. Mr. and Mrs. Hope of Seguin are the guests of Mrs. L. J. Van Fleet this week.

Signs that shout "Getter did it."



EULOGY TO MOTHERHOOD

Written especially for Mother's Day.

By EDGAR S. RIEBER.

A great many things have been said concerning the greatness of people and the duties performed but where is there a greater or nobler person than the mother of children who rears, or at least tries to rear, them befittingly?

There are mothers who, although they have been bereft of their mates, face the world with a sternness that will not hamper them or discourage them in their stony pathway. They are faced with hardships but undaunted they never fail to give the little flock under their care, loving attention and tender caresses, unmindful of the gayety and pleasures of others with only the welfare of her babes uppermost in her mind, teaching them the school of life.

No mention has been made of her greatness, no praises have been sung for her, but God the Creator in all His glory has meant for her as her greatest part in life should be the making of a home, the proper rearing of children.

It is mother who comforts us in our darkest moments. It is she who comforts her loved one in the prison cell. It is she who, although shedding tears, bears well all the sorrow when she gives her son who goes out to save his flag and returns not again to the dearest friend in the world.

Great, truly great, is the woman who becomes the mother of a president, the mother of a great general, the mother of a great financier, the mother of a great industrialist, the mother of a great civil leader; and lastly but not least, the mother who teaches in the rearing of her children, truth, honesty, devotion, kindness and love of God and who may even then become the mother of a churchman.

But have we fulfilled our mother's desire? Have we accomplished something? Have we done something worthwhile? Have we made the world better for having lived in it? Truly great is the mother who succeeds in this. Glory be to her.

There are some women, however, who are due our praises, who are not blessed with a home and children but who are leaders or participants of such subsidiary measures of mankind as they are most likely to be fitted.

THE LEGISLATIVE MILL.

By Fred W. Davis.

But seven more working days of the 120 days session. The House has begun consideration of the educational appropriation bill. This will be followed by departmental appropriations. In fact the House is about through with the consideration of all bills except appropriations, (which are sure to go to conference), constitutional amendments and Senate bills. This means there will be more measures lost on the calendar than ever was known. This, in the face of a long session.

Of course, many of the most meritorious of these measures could be considered if the legislature would work on a while, but indications are they are not going to do this. In fact, one of the best lawyers of the House is reported to have a point of order ready to offer to the effect the new amendment limits the

session to 120 days.

Heretofore the members were unwilling to extend the sixty days session because they would get but \$2.00 per day for additional time and they considered \$5.00 per day little enough. Now, they consider \$10.00 per day little enough, so it seems almost certain that adjournment will come at the close of the 120 days. Doubtless if their salaries were again doubled the members would be as unwilling to prolong the regular session of less than the regular pay. Then, there is the mileage to be considered. Of course, the new amendment should have fixed the mileage at actual cost, based upon receipts of expenditures. Maybe, though, this would have been using too much common sense. Mileage is not service but purely an expense.

In the Senate—the House bills on the motor trucks were under consideration for more than two weeks. There are so many amendments no

one can forecast the final outcome of this legislation.

To the average citizen away from Austin it appears that the long debate on motor truck legislation is the result of a serious consideration of a great public problem dealing with the safety of the travelling public, the preservation of our highways and the economic benefits to be derived from the services of our highway system. But such is far from true. Safety of travel and preservation of our very expensive highways constituted the smoke screen behind which the railroads and motor truck interests marshalled their forces and fought their battles. This statement is proven by the character of motor truck legislation, the hearings and debates.

An effort to limit the weight to go over our roads was tabled without debate. It was stated that 45 states in the Union have a minimum gross weight. But the concern of our legislature has been the commercial load which affects only the interest a few people have in our roads. Of course, the gross weight is what the roadbed has to support.

The fee system has again come into legislative prominence. It is stated that a certain sheriff made one trip after one man who had 37 indictments against him and the sheriff collected mileage for every indictment, or the equivalent of 37 trips. It is also stated the law permits such practice.

Lawyers have been making our laws for 50 years and for half this time the fee system and its abuses has been bobbing up in the legislature. Twenty-four years ago Senator Senter of Dallas called prominent and forceful attention to the iniquities of this plan of compensating officers. What excuse is there for such practices as given above? Will this legislature correct this condition or will it induce the people to vote away all personal liberties in passing a constitutional amendment in order to secure a change? Or to put it another way, this legislature can correct such abuses as the one mentioned above if it wishes to do so, without even submitting the Beck resolution to amend the constitution, but will it do so? Those who have followed this column already know what this resolution proposes to do.

The legislature has recently been visited by party leaders of note—one this week from Colorado, U. S. Senator Costigan. There is a desire upon the part of the Democratic party leaders to base the next national campaign upon the grounds of economics and political justice, which is a sound political principle. This is what our political parties should do. It is when factional strife causes us to lose sight of justice and liberty that our political parties fail to function for the public good. The burden of all the speeches are warning to the Democratic party to lay aside internal strife and embrace the present opportunity to meet a great economic emergency. Politically, the direct object is party victory, but its great significance is to dedicate anew the national democracy to the rights and needs of the masses.

BENEFIT CARD PARTY HELD

Funds sufficient for the initial step in the graveling of the driveway from the highway to the dance hall in the Fair Grounds were raised at the Card and Bunco party held Tuesday night in the O. H. Miller building. Threatening weather kept a great part of the crowd of out-of-town people away, but a fair sized group of local people attended.

Bridge and High Five were attractions for the adults, and Bunco held the attention of the children until eleven o'clock, with a thirty minute intermission for a delightful program.

James Crow was the first on the program, giving several unusual harmonica selections. A piano solo by Miss Frances Finger followed. A clever tap dance was presented by Misses Billie and Milton Marie Merritt, followed by a song and dance number as encore for Milton Marie.

Sandwiches and cold drinks were sold during the intermission.

Entrance prizes were given, as well as prizes for the winners in Bridge, High Five and Bunco. These attractive awards were donated by the business houses of Hondo.

ENTRANCE PRIZES

1st, Mrs. O. B. Taylor; 2nd, L. E. Heath; 3rd, Mrs. Alfred Rath; 4th, Earl Earnest; 5th, Earl Starnes; 6th, N. C. Johnson; 7th, Hugo Batot.

HIGH FIVE

For the ladies: 1st, Mrs. L. A. Mechler; 2nd, Mrs. Rieber of Hanis; low, Mrs. H. Weynand.

For the men: 1st, Joe Steinle; 2nd, Hugo Batot; low, Felix Batot.

BRIDGE

For the ladies: 1st, Miss Sue Healy; 2nd, Miss Anne Davis; low, Mrs. L. J. Brucks.

For the men: 1st, Earl Starnes; 2nd, R. D. Matocha; low, Walter Meyer.

BUNCO

For the girls: 1st, Miss Mary Emma Finger; 2nd, Miss Belle Grace Reily; low, Miss Adah Belle Carter.

For the boys: 1st, Jimmie Smith; 2nd, Bru Miller; low, Rollie Bless.

PERRY LANCASTER BURIED.

The body of Perry Lancaster, the 18-year-old son of Rev. and Mrs. P. E. Lancaster, whose sad and tragic death was mentioned in last week's issue of this paper, was brought to Hondo Friday afternoon of last week and buried in Oakwood cemetery the following day, Saturday, May 2, 1931, at eleven o'clock. Rev. Goodenough, Presiding Elder of the Uvalde District, assisted by several visiting clergymen, conducted the funeral services at the Methodist church and at the grave. A large concourse of sorrowing friends attended, and the floral offerings were many and beautiful.

Perry Edgar Lancaster, Junior, was born April 2, 1913, in Mills County, near Zephyr, Texas. His parents at that time were living on a ranch.

He was dedicated in Holy Baptism when an infant by his grandfather, Rev. M. H. Major, who was an Itinerant Methodist Minister. The first place that his parents carried him was to the church.

He was received as a precious trust, and the desire of his parents had always been to see him return to the Heavenly Father as pure as when he came from Him. He never knew the time when he did not love the Lord. The first words he learned to say were words of prayer: "Now I lay me down to sleep, etc." The last time he was at home, only a few weeks ago, before he retired for the night he fell by his bed and prayed, as he had done all his life.

When a child of six years of age, one evening while his father was preaching, he sat in the front seat, alone, his mother being unable to attend that evening. At the close of the message his father asked if there were any who wished to give their lives to the Lord, if so to raise their hands. Perry's hand went up and he held it up until his father said, "God bless you, my son." After the service while kneeling between his father and mother in the home, he gave his little life to God, and joined the church.

When he was only 13 years old he came to the altar and surrendered his life to the Lord for special service along with others who were much older. Again last summer, at the Methodist Assembly at Kerrville, he came as a young man having finished high school and offered himself as a volunteer for service wherever the Lord needed him.

True to the environment of his boyhood, he loved the great outdoors. He loved flowers, music and the beautiful things of life. He loved to sing. The night before his death, he sang most of the night in his sleep. He was a member of the glee club in College and other activities. He was happy and cheerful and planning to come home in a day or so, from his grandmother's where he always enjoyed being so much.

The grief-stricken parents have been the recipients of many expressions of sympathy all of which, they deeply appreciate. They, especially cherish the following from the late associates at College of their son:

"The Weatherford College students all regret the untimely death of Perry Lancaster, who was a student here."

While in Weatherford College he made a host of friends. Never was there a more sincere, good natured boy than Perry. He possessed an upright Christian character and the students will miss this young man. His life was an inspiration to those with whom he came in contact.

With the departing of Perry's life we bow our heads in sorrow at the loss of such a character as was his. He was a boy who will not easily be forgotten and we consider it a great privilege to have been his classmates and friends."

The sad and untimely ending of a young life so full of hope and promise is a stern reminder that the ways of Providence are beyond all finite understanding, and that, despite our wisdom and strength, we all stand in need of that Christian faith and fortitude that can help us in good purpose to say I will—

"Judge not the Lord by feeble sense."

But trust Him for His grace; Behind a frowning providence,

He hides a smiling face."

A Friend.

FOR SALE.

Three Oat Binders. 2 six-foot, 1 seven-foot in good repair. All three for \$300.00 L. E. KOLLMAN. 3tpd

Anything in building line. HONDO LUMBER CO. 24-1t

Trades Day Prizes

IN DECIDING ON STOCK TO BE GIVEN EACH MONTH ON TRADES DAY, WE THE MERCHANTS OF HONDO, FEEL THAT IT WILL BE MORE BENEFICIAL OVER A PERIOD OF TIME TO OUR PATRONS IN OUR TRADE TERRITORY, IF EACH PARTY WINNING A PRIZE WILL KEEP THE STOCK AND CONSIDER THE VALUATION OF THE PRIZE AT THE END OF FIVE YEARS. IN ADDITION TO THE COW, PIG AND CHICKENS THERE ARE TO BE FIVE ADDITIONAL PRIZES GIVEN BY FIVE DIFFERENT MERCHANTS EACH MONTH.

ANYONE HAVING STOCK TO SELL THAT WILL MEET THE REQUIREMENTS, SEE C. M. MERRITT.

HONDO MERCHANTS.

1931 FOOTBALL PROSPECTS. OFFICIAL BATTING AVERAGES,
ALL GAMES UP TO APRIL 27.

From the Owl.

The season of 1931 will be made or marred by the final examinations in May. There are so many "ifs" and "ands," that a prediction of games won and lost would be foolhardy. There will be thirteen lettermen missing from the squad on account of graduation; and several of the seven that are due to return may fall by the wayside. Finger, Garreiter, Ed. Taylor, Ulrich, Clifford Stiegler, Frank Rucker and Jimmy Smith, are the lettermen due to return, but the coaches are counting on none of these men until they have passed their courses.

Returning squadmen who did not letter last year are W. J. Ney, Jack Muennink, Joe Haegelin, Johnny Crouch, Roy Schweers and Ralph Noonan. Some of them will become regulars.

The two biggest "ifs" about the prospects are whether or not some of last year's ineligibles pass or not, and whether or not three seniors return for another year's competition. Charley Embrey, Homer Pichot, Harris Parsons, Geo. Muennink, Bru Miller and Tony Taylor could all letter on the 1931 team if they get by the May exams. These boys are all huskies, most of them have football experience, and will make or break the championship aspirations of the team. The other big "if": Lawrence Rothe, Jack Mask and Charley Langfeld, can all three return and play football next year if they care to. Rothe will probably play at one of the halfback posts if he comes back.

The crop of material coming up from the grammar school will be the best that has come up in years—if they pass enough subjects to get here. Tomerlin, Schuehle, Stieger, Muennink, Mechler, Jones, Coffey Clements and Bradley are all big, strong and fast.

So summing things up, next year's squad will be composed of the dumbest and neruest bunch of material that has reported to the coaches in years.

1931 schedule with open dates to be filled later.

September 18-19, open.

September 25-26, open.

October 2 or 3, Sabinal at Hondo. (Medina County Fair.)

October 9-10, open.

October 16-17, Devine at Devine.

October 23, Carrizo Springs at Carrizo Springs.

October 30-31, open.

November 6, Uvalde at Uvalde.

November 13-14, open.

November 20-21, Pearsall at Hondo.

OFFICIAL FINAL BATTING AVERAGES.

From the Owl.

The official final batting averages for conference games only are as follows:

Name	A.B.	H.	Ave.
D. Windrow	44	18	.46
L. Rothe	42	17	.405
E. Taylor	10	4	.400
G. L. Wilson	43	17	.395
A. Finger	41	15	.366
H. Parsons	43	14	.326
F. Rucker	25	10	.286
F. Leinweber	28	8	.286
C. Embrey	19	5	.263
D. Stanley	19	5	.263
R. Reynolds	9	2	.222
Langfeld	29	6	.207
J. Drotcourt	32	6	.189
Team Totals	390	127	.325
Games won, 10; games lost, 0.			
Total runs: Hondo, 158; (Average 15.8 runs per game) Opponents, 26; (Average 2.6 runs per game)			

IN THE GEOMETRY CLASS.

Prof: "Erna, what is a cube?"

Erna: "A cube is a solid surrounded by six equal squares."

Prof: "Right, now what is a cone, Hettie?"

Hettie: "A cone is—er—a funnel stuffed with ice cream."

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IN A RUT. The farmer may plow, and plow, and plow, and plow, and plow; But the deepest furrow which he has Is that one in his brow.

The Pathfinder.

HEADACHES

Needless pains like headaches are immediately relieved by a tablet of Bayer Aspirin as millions know. And no matter how suddenly a headache may come, one can at all times be prepared. Carry the pocket tin of Bayer Aspirin with you. Keep the larger size at home. Read the proven directions for headaches, neuralgia, lumbago, rheumatism, pain, etc.



AFTER 40 bowel trouble

Constipation may very easily become chronic after forty. And any continued constipation at that time of life may bring attacks of piles and a host of other unpleasant disorders.

Watch your bowels at any age. Guard them with particular care after forty. Whenever they need any help, remember a doctor should know what is best for them.

"Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin" is a doctor's prescription for the bowels. Tested by 47 years' practice, it has been found thoroughly effective in relieving constipation and its ills for men, women and children of all ages. It has proven perfectly safe even for babies. Made from fresh laxative herbs, pure pepsin and other harmless ingredients, it cannot gripe; will not sicken you or weaken you; can be used without harm as often as your breath is bad, or when your tongue is coated; whenever a headache, bilious, gassy condition warns of constipation.

DA. W. B. CALDWELL'S
SYRUP PEPSIN
A Doctor's Family Laxative

SENIOR PLAY.

From the Owl.

The Senior Play, "The Call of Youth" will be presented on Friday night, May 8, at the High School Auditorium with the following cast:

Irene, girl friend of Eileen—Lillian Schroeder.
Marion, another girl friend of Eileen—Mayme Ernest.
Belinda, Eileen's colored "mammy"—Mary Ruth Cameron.

Hester Moore, secretly in love with Avery—Naomi Shoor.

Mr. Lyndon, Eileen's father—Jack Dreicer.

Mr. Lang, a dear friend of the Lyndons—Don Windrow.

Tom Griswold, in love with Eileen—George Wilson.

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HELEN KELLER BROADCASTS.

HONOR GRADUATES NAMED.

From the Owl.

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LA COSTE LEDGERETTES

DEVINE NEWSLETS

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

From the Owl.

The Commencement Exercises for graduating class of '31 will be held May 22, at eight o'clock. Miss Elizabeth Holloway, who has won the honor of salutatorian, will deliver the welcome address. Miss Luella Wiemers, who has the highest average, will deliver the valedictory address. Mr. Merton L. Harris, District Attorney of Smithville, Texas, will be the principal speaker of the evening. He is an author and poet and we are honored to have such a distinguished man to deliver the address. Among the books that he has written is "The Golden Mirage" of which an autographed copy will be given to the High School Library. He has sent one of his poems which is reproduced here.

FROM YANCEY.

On account of the rainy spell of last week we had a show in town during the whole week. Muddy roads prevented them from moving. However, Tuesday morning they left for Biry and as rain has been falling almost every day they may show there for a week. There was a small crowd in attendance every night.

The tennis players went to different places during last week to play before going to the district meet at Uvalde last Saturday. Misses Dora Mae McAnelly and Evelyn Wiemers won the game; Glenn Faseker won the shot put.

We made a mistake in last week's report, stating that Miss Doris Mofield was a tennis player. It should have been Miss Evelyn Wiemers instead.

Mr. William Schweers of San Antonio passed through enroute to D'Hanis, stopping long enough to see a few old friends. "Billy" is no stranger here as he has a large acquaintance among cattle dealers. We are sorry we were not at home as he intended paying us a visit.

Mr. J. H. Null and family went to Jourdanton, Leming and other points Sunday, paying a short visit to relatives there.

In our last report we stated that Mrs. Effie Wheeler Gronewald was very critically ill at the Mecher Hospital. She passed away last Monday, and her remains were brought to Yancey, and were laid to rest beside her darling babe who had preceded her in death several days.

Rev. Rogers conducted the services,

a large concourse of relatives and friends assembled to pay their last respects and to sympathize with the bereaved. The floral offerings were beautiful.

Little Helen Burgin has been on the indisposed list for several days;

and is not able to attend school. We wish her speedy recovery.

Mrs. Will Hoag of Uvalde, a sister of Mrs. J. H. Burgin returned to her home in Uvalde, after having been in San Antonio for some time, where she underwent a very serious operation. After a week's rest in San Antonio and another week with Mrs. J. H. Burgin she had regained sufficient strength to return to her family.

Mrs. H. N. Burgin spent the weekend in San Antonio, with the families of Louis Ward and Milton Burgin.

Miss Lucille Schultz was a San Antonio visitor last Saturday.

FROM BIRY.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kempf and children spent Monday in Castroville.

Mrs. Joe Breiten and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Watson and baby spent Friday in San Antonio.

A. O. Biediger and Aaron Bilhartz spent Thursday in San Antonio.

Mr. William Owen spent Thursday in Pearsall.

Mr. Raymond Blackburn was in Devine Wednesday.

Mr. C. A. Billings from D'Hanis spent Saturday with Mrs. J. A. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blackburn and daughters from San Antonio spent Saturday evening at the Blackburn home.

Miss Letha Evans from Devine spent Sunday with Miss Lucille Bader.

Prof. J. L. Taylor and wife spent last week at Fredericksburg with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ham Love and Zethel Owen spent Saturday in San Antonio.

Mr. C. A. Posch from Luling spent one day the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Posch.

Mrs. A. O. Biediger spent one day the past week with her parents at Castroville.

Mrs. Sam Tschirhart and children from Castroville spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wernette.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schmidt and daughters from Devine spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Schmidt.

Prof. and Mrs. J. L. Taylor had as their guest over the week-end Mrs. Taylor's brother from San Marcos.

TEN THINGS TO DO.

Do good to all.
Speak evil of none.
Hear and know the facts before judging.
Think before speaking.
Hold an angry tongue.
Be kind to the distressed.
Ask pardon for all wrongs.
Be patient toward everybody.
Stop the ears to a tale-bearer.
Disbelieve most of the ill reports concerning friends, neighbors and people in general.

GEOMETRY.

Why is it that it is hard for me

To learn such studies as geometry?

To figure out the reason and first

step

To make myself a geometric rep.

It's easy for some boys, it seems,

For knowledge on their faces beams.

They always know their lessons well,

Which daily recitations tell.

I guess I know the reason for this

plight:

Perhaps they study far into the

night;

Or, maybe, God desired that they

should be

The best of students in geometry,

And picked me out alone from all

the rest

To be the one whom others call the

"pest."

—Exchange.

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BACCALAUREATE SERMON.

From the Owl.

When: May 17, 1931, 11 A. M.

Where: High School Auditorium.

Program: Not yet fully arranged.

Rev. T. A. Flynn will preach the

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ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH NOTES.

In spite of the very bad weather and road conditions last Sunday morning, the Sunday school, Bible class and divine service were fairly well attended.

Sunday morning the Sunday school and Bible class meet at 9:15 o'clock. All boys and girls as well as their elders are cordially invited to be present.

Sunday night at 7:45 o'clock divine service in the English tongue will be held. Rev. C. P. Hasskarl will conduct this service. A cordial invitation to come and worship the Lord is extended to all.

Following the night service reports from the recent convention of the American Lutheran Church, held at Seguin will be rendered. These reports are interesting and important. All should hear them.

A matter of importance relative to the calling of a pastor to the vacancy of the pastorate will also be presented for discussion and perhaps for congregational action. All voting members are invited and should be present.

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Mrs. Earl Boon and Mrs. Ed. Connelly were visitors in San Antonio Monday.

Mesdames T. B. Knopp and H. J. Meyer were visitors in San Antonio Wednesday.

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Rev. A. M. Foster of Devine was among the visiting clergymen here Saturday for the funeral of Perry Lancaster.

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Mrs. W. J. Nester returned one day last week from a four day's visit with her daughters, Misses Regina and Hermina, at Seguin. They are students of the Lutheran College.

The dance at the Fair Grounds that was to have been held last Saturday night was postponed on account of the rain and given last night. A very successful and enjoyable dance is reported.

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BAPTIST NEWS NOTES.

Our Baptist revival meetings are now passed into history. While many causes arose for disappointment, yet we have learned to spell disappointment thus: disappointment, for surely He does all things well. The meetings, however, were a delight. Its spirit could hardly have been better.

The faithfulness and efficiency of all committees were above criticism, and they all have the thanks of the Pastor and church. The attendance was cheering, though this might have been better. The co-operation of the other churches was the very best, and inspired our enduring love. The results of the meetings were far better than many had hoped. Eight, who had been approved for believer's baptism, were baptized on Wednesday evening. Five were received by letter. The entire congregation was brought into closer fellowship with the Lord and with each other. The Sunday school life has been improved and the attendance increased. It is hoped that the Bible, as the unerring Word of God, with its holy instructions and its blessed promises, has been exalted in the thinking of the people. It is useful to ones practical life only as it guides into the path of righteousness and to religious faithfulness.

On next Sunday, both the Sunday school and the church, will present programs suitable to Mother's Day. The Pastor will speak at 11 o'clock on "The Office of Motherhood." The discussion will not deal with sentimentalism, but with the dignity, the mystery and the responsibility of woman's office as mother. There will be no crepe, but roses in connection with woman's holy workshop. Let us all be present, with our faces towards God and the great future, in the fields of the present day.

There will be no preaching at the Baptist church on next Sunday night. The B. Y. P. U. will hold its meeting, but the Pastor is to preach the baccalaureate sermon for the public schools of Poteet.

PASTOR.

TO MY PATRONS.

I will be out of my office May 12 to 16 while attending a Dental Convention in Houston. Will be back in office Saturday, May 16.

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Mother's Day, May 10th. We have many gifts. See our line of Leather Hand Bags. They make a lasting gift. Windrow's Drug Store.

Miss Clara Buss, who is in San Antonio for medical treatment, was able to spend the week-end with her parents here. She was accompanied by her brother, Herbert, and friend, Mrs. H. B. Turner and son of San Antonio.

Rev. Fred J. Brucks and wife and baby were here from Taft the first of the week visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Brucks and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Balzen. They returned Wednesday to Taft where Rev. Brucks is pastor of the Methodist church.

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Sunday. Why not? She has had in
her hands the moulding of the na-
tions. Mothers, we desire to honor
you Sunday. Come and be with us.
Every one is urged to attend Church
Sunday in honor of your mother.
May this Sunday be a record day for
Church attendance on this Mother's
day, in our little city.

We will resume our usual service
as the revival has closed at the Bap-
tist Church. We are very grateful
for the splendid way our people at-
tended the services there. We are
praying that we may be on higher
ground spiritually and may live the
more Christ-like life since our re-
vivals.

You are invited, yea, urged to wor-
ship with us Sunday.
Subject Sunday morning, "Op-
portunities of Motherhood."

Evening Subject, "Stand Still and
See the Salvation of the Lord."
P. E. LANCASTER.

FACULTY RE-ELECTED.
At a meeting of the trustees of
the Hondo Independent School Dis-
trict Tuesday evening the entire
faculty was re-elected, consisting of
J. G. Barry, superintendent; M. L.
Broxton, principal; Miss Bess Brucks,
history; Glenn Fluker, Spanish; Miss
Ellen Tweedy, commercial; Miss
Hazel Boyd, English; M. L. Mc-
Dowell, mathematics; Misses
Heathy, Pearl Fawcett and Margaret
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CARD OF THANKS.

Words are too frail to express our gratitude for the many expressions of love and sympathy during our recent bereavement. For every tiny flower that was plucked and woven into beautiful tributes that brought comfort, we thank God. For all the good things to eat that were provided for us and our relatives, we thank our Father. For every courtesy and hospitality extended us, we are grateful. Only the Lord can know the power of strength that was given through your prayers, and words of comfort for us.

Edgar A. Guest suggests something of what our hearts feel when he says:

"I'd like to be the sort of friend that you have been to me;
I'd like to be the help that you've been so glad to be
I'd like to mean as much to you each minute of the day
As you have meant, dear friend of mine, along the way."

I'd like to do the big things and the splendid things for you,
To brush the gray from out your skies and leave them only blue;
I'd like to say the kindly things that I so oft have heard
And feel that I could rouse your soul the way that mine you've stirred.

I'd like to give you back the joy that you have given me,
Yet that were wishing you a need I hope will never be;
I'd like to make you feel as rich as I who travel on
Undaunted in the darkest hours with you to lean upon."

May God's richest blessings be upon each one of you.

MAJOR AND ELIZABETH,

P. E. and MRS. P. E. LANCASTER.

AN APPRECIATION.

The music given by the School Orchestra and the High School Glee Club upon the occasion of the school play recently was very highly appreciated by the goodly audience that greeted the young people forming these groups when they appeared in numbers of high order, well rendered.

The twenty piece orchestra, although overbalanced as to wind instruments—this is the result of their participation in the Junior Band—still make music that is very acceptable for orchestra. And best of all, their music is well rendered.

The High School Glee Club—twenty-seven girls—sang their numbers in such sweet tone and with such evident enjoyment that it was a real pleasure to hear them. Their dainty dresses of pastel colors made a lovely picture to satisfy the aesthetic sense, greatly enhancing the presentation of their musical offerings. Their director, Miss Irene Saatoff, is to be commended upon the result of her work with these young people. They are acquiring knowledge that will be most useful and add beauty to their whole lives.

—Lockhart Post-Register.

WEATHER REPORT

Hondo, Texas, April, 1931. Total rainfall, 2.85; since January 1st, 2.76 inches. Temperature: high, 91 in 2nd; low, 37 on 5th. Nine rainy days, 10 clear, 11 part cloudy, 6 cloudy.

H. E. HAASS,
U. S. Weather Observer.

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BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Friday afternoon Miss Mary Ruth Wilson was delightfully surprised on returning home from school to find several of her girl friends at her home to help her celebrate her birthday anniversary.

The afternoon was spent in playing numerous games and admiring the pretty gifts that the honoree received.

Later in the afternoon, delicious refreshments consisting of orange ice and angel food cake were served.

Those present were Misses Bernice Chace, Virginia Ulrich, Evelyn Barnes, Billy Fusselman, Doris Windrow, Anna Laura Welhausen, Anna Lee Webb, Mary Emma Finger, Ivy Jean McCall, Margaret Dillon, Mary Lois Barnes, Bernice Speece, Thelma Wilson, Gen Brucks and the honoree, Mary Ruth Wilson. Mary Ruth Wilson.

MEDINA SCHOOL STATISTICS.

Superintendent Saathoff submitted the scholastic rolls to the State Department for approval Tuesday. The report compared with last year is as follows:

Medina County Rural: 1930-31, 2423; 1931-32, 2446; gain, 23.

Hondo Independent: 1930-31, 727; 1931-32, 772; gain, 45.

Devine Independent: 1930-31, 668; 1931-32, 632; loss, 36.

D'Hanis Independent: 1930-31, 256; 1931-32, 393; gain, 137.

Totals: 1930-31, 4074; 1931-32, 4243; a net gain for the county, 169.

The large increase in the D'Hanis Independent District is due to consolidation of Kincheloe and Deer Creek Districts with that district.

THE BRIDGETTES.

Miss Virginia Ulrich entertained the Bridlettes Saturday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ulrich.

After several games of bridge Miss Mary Ruth Wilson received a vanity for high score and Miss Mary Emma Finger received a purse for low. Miss Anna Laura Welhausen received a box of handkerchiefs for guest prize.

Later in the afternoon, refreshments consisting of pineapple ice cream and cake were served to the following: Misses Mary Ruth Wilson, Bernice Chace, Rosenia Taylor, Doris Windrow, Anna Laura Welhausen, Mary Emma Finger, Bernice Speece and the hostess, Virginia Ulrich.

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I love your long grey hair,
Your face to me so fair.

You have shared my laughter, felt
my tears,
Through all these thirteen long years.

So much love means from you,
Nothing can I do, little I pay.
Our love will last but for a day,
Then God will take your soul,
That aims for that luminous goal.

Written March 17, Age 13.

BURIED.

Last Wednesday afternoon little Mary Lois Huffman of Sanderson, Texas, was buried here. The child was the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Hoffman of Sanderson. She was born Oct. 1, 1930. The cause of death was Colitis. The baby was brought here from its home by train and was accompanied by its mother, grandfather and a number of relatives. The funeral services were conducted at St. Paul's Lutheran Church by Rev. C. P. Hasskarl of Quihi and by Rev. G. Langner of Knippa at the grave. The sincere sympathy of all goes to Mrs. Hoffman and her children in their deep sorrow.

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Friday Evening, May 8, 1931

CAST

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MARIAN, Friend of Eileen MAYME EARNEST

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BELINDA, Eileen's colored "mammy" MARY RUTH CAMERON

HESTOR MOORE, Secretly in love with Avery NAOMI SHOOR

MR. LYNDON, Eileen's father JACK DROITCOURT, JR.

DR. LANG, Friend of Lyndon's DON WINDROW

TOM GRISWOLD, In love with Eileen GEORGE WILSON

EILEEN LYNDON, In love with Avery ELIZABETH HOLLOWAY

LYDIA BOONE, Jealous of Eileen FRANCES FINGER

AUNT AMANDA, Mr. Lyndon's Sister BERNICE MOFIELD

COUSIN LULU, Would like to be in love with someone GLADYS FUSSELMAN

ROBERT, Tom Griswold's adopted son LAWRENCE ROTHE

ANITA, Eileen's daughter ELIZABETH HOLLOWAY

Time: Eighteen years ago and the present.
Place: Living room in the Lyndon home.

SYNOPSIS

Prologue: Living room in the Lyndon home, a night in June.

Act I: The same, eighteen years later.

Act II: The same, three months later.

Act III: The same, evening of the next day.

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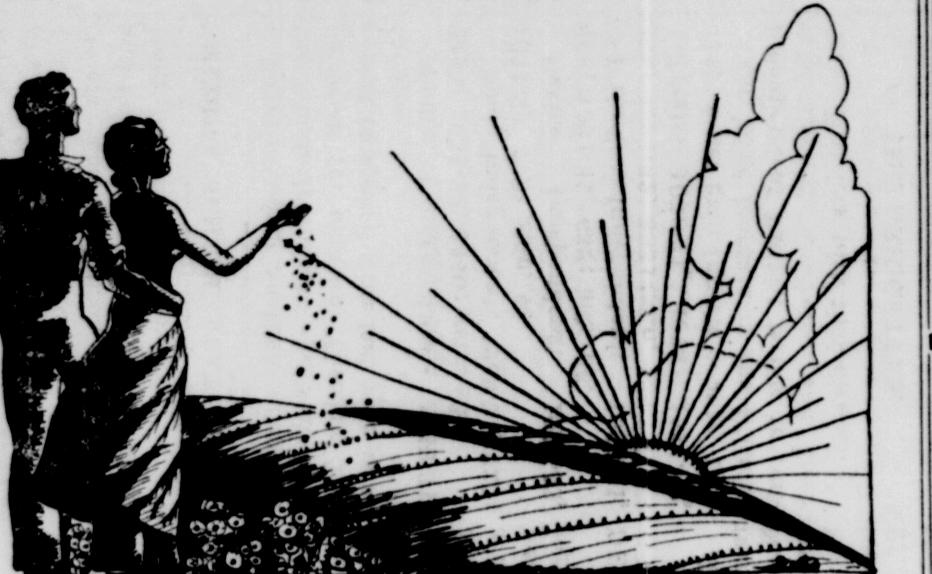
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EDITORIALS

PROMISE



"There is that scattereth and yet increaseth."—Proverbs 11: 24.

Gladness in my heart
To see the new-green
Of young leaves
In flat fields
Seeking the sun;
The sun
Rising
Over an eastern hill,
Touching,
Making glow
The barns, the dove-cote
And a crimson blaze of poppies!

The warm earth together—
One!

Who holds a clod of earth
In his palm,
Open to the sun,
Holds life.

Gladness in my heart
To see the new-green
Of young leaves
In flat fields—
Burgeoning Promise
Of the scattered seeds!

—Mary Octavia Davis.

WHO PAYS THE TAX?
Wealth has always demonstrated the ability to pass any tax directed against it along to the ultimate consumer.

This is a vital truth quite generally overlooked by some of those solons who are imbued with a determination to relieve the small home owner of some of his tax burden.

For instance; one of the means devised to reduce the tax burden of the small property owner is a severance tax upon gas. There is no way under the sun to keep that tax from being reflected in the gas rate, the light and power rate and even the water, and ice rates assessed against the same small tax-payer whom it is the legislator's intention to assist.

It follows, therefore, that no tax levied against the production of natural gas, at its source, will remain a charge against the great distributing companies. The result achieved is simply that the tax plus a profit, is passed on to the ultimate consumer, who happens to be the very man the legislator would help.

Though this is but one, it is a typical instance. No economist or tax student has yet discovered any means by which wealth, selling essential products to the people, can be prevented from passing on to those same people any tax which might be levied.

The only way to cure the tax evils from which the country is suffering seems never to enter the thoughts of our lawmakers—quit spending so much money. Shifting taxes will never help; relief can only come from reducing them.

While the above is literally true, it seems impossible to bring same about. Every legislator wants to secure all possible for his constituents, hence there seems no starting point to begin. Maybe some solution will be worked out in the long run, yet at present there seems small chance for any reduction of taxes. Well, the retail price of gasoline has dropped one cent on the gallon, so that will help some.—Fred B. Robinson in Waco News-Tribune.

are women gifted with the normal instinct of mother love and men possessed with a normal pride in the great privilege of fatherhood a worthy race will survive to be lords of creation. The less those not so endowed reproduce their kind the better it will be for future generations. This is not a brief for race suicide. It is merely a recognition of cold, inescapable biological facts, and a tip to those who are concerned that remedy—if remedy there be—lies only in a natural, healthy attitude towards the privilege of parenthood.

The tariff must go or some form of an export debenture on farm products must come or agriculture will continue to be mulected for the benefit of protected industries. It is as inevitable as that two and two make four.

Much needless alarm seems to be felt—especially in some ecclesiastical quarters—over what is pleased to be called "birth control." It is a law of life—albeit a harsh one—that the best shall survive as long as there

thoughtful students and writers on economics point out that there has been a marked decline in the foreign consumption of American cotton. The reasons assigned for this are, first, the largely increased production of cotton by cheap labor in foreign countries; and, second, the inability of foreign countries to exchange their products for American cotton on account of the excessive tariff duties imposed by this country on imports. They point out these conditions as the cause of the prevailing low price of the staple, and predict a long, indefinite—if not permanent—era of low prices for the South's great basic crop. Faced by such conditions, the South must lower her standard of living or devise a different system of farming. Of course, no virulent people will submit to this former alternative without first exhausting every devise to achieve the latter. But how? The same conditions confront every major farm product produced in this country and to quit cotton to turn to some other crop is but to face the same old economic problem under new and untried conditions. What then can be done about it? In the last recourse we always come back to elemental principles and in this case the rule that "self-preservation is the first law of nature" must and will govern. A self-supporting agriculture is our only salvation.

One wonders where it will end. Every one clamors for reduction in the expenses of government. Every politician who is successful goes coveting into office on promises of economy and retrenchment. And then the energies and resources of our legislative bodies are spent on finding new sources for raising money and the expense budget climbs higher with no improvement in the government's only rightful function—the protection of the people's rights to the enjoyment of life and property. Look at the record thus far made by the Texas legislature.

THANKFUL ANYHOW.
Fletcher's Farming, out at Hondo, discusses tax reduction, or proposed tax reduction as follows:

One of the reasons why little in the way of tax reform can be hoped for from the present legislature is because some of those loudest in protesting an increase in their taxes are most insistent upon the state embarking into new enterprises calling for the expenditure of more money. The only way to reduce taxes is to reduce expenditures.

Every legislator, national and state, wants to get all the appropriations he can for his constituency, and every office-holder wants to have his salary retained at the old (or increased) amount, hence comes the "tug of war" as to how to keep up the expense and keep down the tax budget. No one has devised a remedy so far, and the chances are, "It can't be did."

Let us believe "everything will come out all right in the wash" and be thankful we live in such a grand and glorious country, putting the soft pedal on increasing government expense, wherever possible.—Fred B. Robinson in Waco News-Tribune.

MY MOTHER'S ROSARY BEADS.

By A. R. Harper.

There hangs a string of Rosary beads
Where all the world may see,
And only God in Heaven knows
How dear they are to me.

It was my Mother's rosary
Worn smooth by touch of time;
She counted them for many years—
That mother dear, of mine.

She always had them with her
In sunshine and in rain,
In pleasure or in sorrow
Through anguish and in pain.

She gave them to me when she died,
A treasure freely given;
She kissed those beads, and blessed her boy,
And passed beyond to heaven.

Now, in the hour of sorrow,
The greatest joy I know,
Is counting Mother's Rosary
Until things calmer grow.

I close my eyes and concentrate,
At times I blindly grope,
But these, my consolation,
Instill new Faith and Hope.

They may be worn and rusty,
And soon will fall apart,
But ah, the loving token
To me is Mother's heart.

I seem to feel her fingers touch
And guide me free from sin;
I feel her presence and caress
That quelled the strife within;

Each night as I lay down to sleep
Her image I recall,
And worship with those worn out beads
That hang upon the wall.

BEING KIND.

By Vida B. Butcher.

I will be kind
To all who cross my path.
The poor, the lame, the blind;
To all I will be kind.
I will be kind

I will be kind
To all who seek my aid,—
Weary, and sin-begrimed,
I shall not close my door,
I will be kind

I will be kind
In thought, in word, in deed,
Harshness I'll leave behind;
Someone I'll help each day,
By being kind

I will be kind
For I am God's,
And God is Love,
And Love is always kind.

A GREAT WRITER AND A NEW BOOK FOR THE COMMON CITIZEN.

Nearly all people believe deep in their minds that something is wrong with our financial system, or we would not have these spells of hard times and bank failures which affect nearly everybody alike.

We all wonder why all business seems paralyzed and a dead calm rests everywhere with poverty and starvation threatening almost everyone around us. Most people are seriously studying what should be done about it.

Every inquiring mind is looking for some sensible discussion that will help to solve the problem as to the

MOTHER'S LOVE AND KISS.

Dedicated to Good Mothers all in Memory of One who was My Own.

By Fletcher Davis.

Sweetest gift from heaven to mortals sent—
A Mother's love in selfless service spent!
Oh joy, closest allied to heavenly bliss,—
The pure and saintly touch of Mother's kiss!



MOTHER-LOVE

By Mrs. Elizabeth Giles Winn.

Most precious gift this side the grave
When God a loving mother gave,
Should you succeed or should you fail
She bravely stands by you through all.

There's nothing like a mother's heart,—
That fount of love will do its part;
A saint and angel, all in one,
Who dearly loves each girl or son.

Each loving deed comes back to you,
And grateful tears form quickly, too;
A treasure-chest you'll ne'er forget,
Is mother's love . . . She loves you yet.

Each gentle word, each tender tone,
And glist'ning tear that met your own
Were loving signs, as pure as gold,
Far stronger than a giant's hold.

The lonely traveler on his way
Still thinks of her from day to day;
Oft he recalls some quiet hour
When mother seemed a beacon-tower.

When tangles come in life's short chain,
We often mention mother's name,
And humbly ask on bended knee,
For other friends as wise as she.

BOOKS FOR THE LEISURE HOURS OF THE FARMER AND THE FARM FAMILY.

Books reviewed in this column can be had of the publishers direct or may be ordered through this paper at the published price.

Recently a book has been published giving this discussion in simple language, and written by an able writer from the viewpoint of the common public. The author of "The Book" is no less a personage than W. H. (Coin) Harvey, considered by many to be the greatest money reformer in the world today.

His study of the true philosophy of money began 30 or 40 years ago

MOTHER'S LETTERS.

Jessica May Young

On looking through my trunk one day I found old letters stored away—
The writing faded, dimmed by age.
Once more I scanned each precious page,
And memories came of other years;
And yearnings filled my eyes with tears.

The letters cherished more than all
Were mother's. How her words recall
The care-free days of glowing youth
When we were taught the fruits of truth;
When by example she'd impart
The love of God in children's heart.

O how kind deeds and good thoughts live,
And have the power to stir and give
To those bereft who leave behind
The vision of loved faces, kind;
And in reflection our hearts thrill
And feel their blessed presence still.

Published in the Poetry Journal of the South, 1928.

SOME DAY.

By A. S. Draper.

Some day I too, shall lay the pen aside,
And sing no more the songs of yesterday;
My stony path leads to the river wide
That winds among the vine-clad hills away.

Some day, I know my journey here will cease,
And at the river's brink a barque shall wait
To bear me onward to the realm of peace
That lies beyond the towering mountains great.

Some day, I'll hear the angels' welcome song,
As I approach the shining jasper sea,
And the fragile barque as it glides along
Will respond at once to the melody.

Some day, my golden dreams will all come true,
And happy songs I hear, but can not sing,
Will grace my silent lips with music too,
And life once more shall be eternal spring.

I WILL BE MASTER OF MY FATE.

By Emma Allen Bailey.

How oft' the evening sunset glows
In colors bright and gay
And spreads its beauty at the close
Of my tumultuous day.

How oft' in visions and in dreams
I've seen what life holds dear,
But in reality, it seems
No happiness comes near!

And yet this heart shall never ache,
My lips shall not complain;
I will be master of my fate—
My dreams are not in vain!

wrongs which we are enduring under a defective money system.

Now then Mr. Harvey, in his mature years writes and publishes "The Book," which is now on sale at book stores. Buy it and read it. It is the greatest book yet written on the subject. It tells you in simple language what is wrong with our present money system.

In his wisdom, Mr. Harvey shows his remedy for our troubles. By all means, every student and every reader should buy "The Book" and thus get an intelligent view of the present puzzling situation. The price of "The Book" is so small that every one can reach it. Some things in it you might not endorse, but nearly all well-meaning people will endorse most of it.

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Before me, a Notary Public, in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Fletcher Davis, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Managing Editor of the Hondo Anvil Herald and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations.

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A. M. LAMM,
Notary Public in and for Medina County, Texas.

TEXAS AND TEXANS.
By
Will H. Mayes
"All Texans for All Texas"

Duties of Governor
Governor Sterling, talking to the South Texas Press Association, called attention to the fact that Texas is as large as seven average States and the Governor's duties and responsibilities are seven times greater. True, and it seems that governors now try to do about seven times as much as they really need to do. There is too much temptation for them to scatter their energies. There is no good reason why the Governor of a State should head half dozen or more boards, why he should be expected to be present and speak at every public gathering, why he would dedicate every new fire station built in the State, why he should try to control legislation beyond the recommendations expected of a Governor, why he should hear every person who wants a pardon for a relative or friend, why he should entertain every hobo that crosses the country seeking signatures of officials, why he should defer commencement addresses, open air, ride in parades, attend teas and do a thousand other things that take time from official duties and distract his mind from important State affairs. The Governor of Texas has a big job, requiring every hour of his time, and should not be expected to exhaust his energies in trivial matters unrelated to his executive duties.

Why Texas Week?
South Texas editors have asked Governor Sterling to designate the first week in October as "Texas Week," during which the consumption of Texas products and patronage of Texas industries are to be encouraged. Why just one week? Why not designate this as "Texas Year" or as "Texas Century?" Why Texas all the time, Texas first every day? Texas needs an awakening that will take more than a year. It needs to round out this, its first centenary, in a "blaze of glory" that will start it into the next hundred years in a way that will make Texan ashamed to patronize outside industries to the neglect of those in Texas.

Texas' Great University
Regents of the University of Texas are, for the first time in the history of the school, in position to end all the money needed to make the State University a school of the first rank insofar as buildings are necessary. Texas spends plenty of money on its schools, but there is too much waste in duplication, primary to post-graduate courses, for Texas to get results proportionate to expenditures. There is no reason why there should be a habit to SAVE. Set a fixed sum to GO INTO THE BANK every pay day! Start now.

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Has the country gone convention mad? If half the money spent by Texans in going to and attending conventions could be diverted to Texas as publicity, this country would soon have all the population, all the industries, all the business it would need. Hotels and transportation companies might complain, but the increased population would spend more than enough with them to offset losses from lack of conventions. This writer's observation is that mighty little constructive work is ever done at a convention of any kind and mighty little good accomplished. It is rare indeed that a city or town ever gets a new citizen from the thousands of conventiongoers entertained, most of whom are principally concerned in getting as much for nothing as possible.

Blue Bonnets Galore

Where have they been hiding? Where have the seeds been for years? It is admitted by all that there are five times as many bluebonnets abloom in Texas as in many years before. Other wild flowers are also fully in bloom. Except close by the large cities there seems little danger that the bluebonnet crop may be lessened by the general gatherings of the blooms or even the pulling of stalks. The bluebonnet is a prolific seed bearer and the seeds scatter afar, and apparently remain uninjured in the soil until the winter rains are sufficient to sprout them and nourish the plants.

Scattered Poppies

There is no reason why poppies of all colors should not cover vast areas in Texas if only the people in the towns and cities would gather and scatter the seeds enough for the winds to do the rest. An uncultivated outlet in Austin covered with red poppies has attracted more attention this season than any cultivated flower garden in the city. This is a suggestion for every garden club in the State. Gather the poppy seed and scatter them where nature will do the rest.

Helping the Public

A wealthy citizen of Paris, Texas, has donated a library and art building to the city. A gift of that kind carries on forever. Even the destruction of the building will not destroy the influence of the gift. Books and pictures make durable impressions that do not die. Texas needs more libraries, more art galleries, more things cultural. The State should have a great central art gallery or art institute that will rank with anything in this or foreign countries. Some man or woman of wealth could do no better with riches than donate them to this worthy purpose and thus lay the foundation for the development of Texas art.

Alice to Get Hotel

The great need of Alice, one of the otherwise progressive little cities of South Texas, has long been a good hotel building. That need is now to be filled, and within a few months a modern 75 room hotel will be built there. The town without a good hotel is a good town to avoid.

Rock-Crushing Organization

Four large rock-crushing plants have consolidated and will have central offices at New Braunfels. The plants expect to have all the business they can do. The purpose of the consolidation is to facilitate shipments of large orders and to fill orders from nearest shipping points.

Cheese Factory Enlarged

The Round Rock Cheese Factory is now making a carload of cheese every four days, but is having to enlarge the plant to meet the increasing demand. When the plant started it had 20 milk customers. It now has nearly 500, the business having grown steadily all the while. It has been the cause of many farmers diverting large parts of their cotton lands to pasture, grain and other crops that make feed for milk cows.

Grain Elevators

Fort Worth is taking steps to store some 15,000,000 bushels of



"Easy Come Easy Go"

So runs an old saying. It describes many of us. As fast as we earn we spend . . . and sometimes faster. The result is we oft find ourselves on "Un-easy Street" financially.

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new wheat by completing a concrete 3,000,000 bushel elevator. The city will be made the leading grain storage center of the Southwest.

Pecan Growing Center

Editor Harigel of the LaGrange Journal has undertaken a big task by starting in to make Fayette county the leading pecan growing county of the State, but even if he induces the people to grow enough pecans to rank it among the leading counties he will have done a great work for his people. Texas is destined to lead all other States in growing fine pecans.

Road Building

Bell county has decided not to wait for the State to do all its road building, but will spend \$1,750,000 on improved roadways, thus adding about 60 miles of concrete paving to the district around Temple.

Increasing Leather Business

The leather goods factory at Yoakum has bought the machinery of a San Antonio factory in order to be in better position to supply demands for its products, thus putting itself among the largest leather manufacturers of the entire Southwest.

Glass Factory Busy

The glass factory, recently moved to Santa Anna from Oklahoma, is now running 24 hours a day and employing some 60 people, and expecting to double its output on receipt of some new machinery.

QUIHI NOTES.

"Praise ye the Lord. O give thanks unto the Lord; for He is good; for His mercy endureth forever." Ps. 106: 1.

Sunday school and Bible class assemble in Bethlehem Lutheran church Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. All are welcome.

Divine service in the English tongue will begin in Bethlehem Lutheran church at 10 A. M. A second service in the English language will be held in this church at 7:45 P. M. All are cordially welcome in this church.

Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock divine service will be held in St. John's Lutheran church of New Fountain. All are cordially invited to this and all services in this church.

Next Thursday, May 14, is Ascension Day. According to a beautiful custom handed down by the pioneers of the Quihi community, a memorial service will be held on this day at 10 o'clock A. M. in the Quihi Lutheran cemetery in memory of the many beloved dead who sleep there in their graves. It is hoped that all graves and the walks will be cleaned for this service.

When Baby's cry warns of colic, a few drops of Castoria have him soothed, asleep again in a jiffy. Nothing is more valuable in diarrhea. When coated tongue or bad breath tell of constipation, invoke its gentle aid to cleanse and regulate a child's bowels. In colds or children's diseases, you should use it to keep the system from clogging.

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From the Owl.

Can you pronounce lamentable, grimace, address, inquiry, and coupon.

Don't kid yourself. You merely think you can. You have one chance in three hundred of being able to pronounce all five correctly. Check up your dictionary and see where you stand.

And do you turn an object sideways?

Do you say no less than ten times or no fewer than ten times? Oh! You don't know nothing noways. Why be high hat?

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LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

B. FITZSIMON, OFFICE AT CASTROVILLE DRUG STORE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. FitzSimon or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Mr. FitzSimon is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, MAY 5, 1931

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

For the convenience of Anvil Herald subscribers at Castroville, La

Coste, Rio Medina, Medina Lake and Motor Route G, we have placed a list with Mr. Bernard FitzSimon at the Highway Drug Store. You may pay your subscription and advertising accounts to Mr. FitzSimon and he will receipt for same. Also leave your advertising copy with him and it will be given prompt attention.

The Publishers.

MARRIED

Miss Irene Rose Sayers and Mr. Lester J. Milhan were united in marriage last Saturday night at 10:30 o'clock in the Justice Court House here. Anton Haller, Justice of the Peace, performed the ceremony.

They are two loveable young people of San Antonio, Miss Sayers being the daughter of Mrs. Chas. Sayers, formerly of Hondo.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Whereas it has pleased God, the Creator of the universe, to remove from our midst our late friend and brother, Erwin Frerichs; and

Whereas it is but just that a fitting recognition of his fine qualities and many virtues should be had; therefore

Resolved by Hondo City Lodge No. 756 A. F. & A. M. that while we bow with humble submission to the will of the Most High, we do not the less mourn for our friend and brother who has been removed from this earthly tabernacle to the celestial home above.

Resolved that in the death of Brother Erwin Frerichs this lodge laments the loss of a brother who was ever ready to proffer the hand of aid, and the voice of sympathy to the needy and distressed of the fraternity; an active member of the lodge whose endeavors were exerted for the welfare and prosperity of the brotherhood.

Resolved that we sincerely condole with the family of the deceased, and that the heartfelt sympathy of this lodge be extended to them in their sorrow and afflictions.

Resolved that these resolutions be spread upon the records of the lodge, a copy thereof be transmitted to the family, and a copy sent to the publisher of the Hondo Anvil Herald.

Sincerely and fraternally,

EARL STARNS,
H. H. DECKER,
V. P. KING.

Committee.

NEW FOUNTAIN METHODIST CHURCH.

Your mother wants you to go to Church next Sunday, May 10. Don't disappoint her.

We cordially welcome to our church all who wish to worship here, and we invite into the membership of our church any who would like to make this their church home.

Sunday School every Sunday at 9:30 A. M. Henry C. Muennink, Superintendent. A class for all ages.

Morning Worship at 10:45 A. M. Subject: Christian Mothers.

Special programs by Junior and Senior Epworth Leagues at 7:45 P. M.

Let's Go! Where? Laredo, Texas. When? Monday, May 11. Why? To the Uvalde District Conference. Stewards, see that your pastor can report one-half of year's finances in full.

The most important things in a home are not the furnishings but the things money can not buy.

The most important things in religion are not its doctrines but the things a man experiences for himself.

The most important things in a church are not its sectarian peculiarities but the inner lives of its members.

E. W. DECHERT,

Pastor

TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. Henry Merriman was hostess to the Tuesday Bridge Club, Tuesday afternoon, with a delightful party.

The lovely home was enhanced in charm with a profusion of sweet eas. There were three tables of ridge.

The hostess served a delicious late lunch of molded fruit salad, potato chips, olives, sandwiches, Jew udding with whipped cream and piced tea.

Those enjoying the hospitality are Mesdames T. B. Knopp, Eugene Mofield, Elsie Worden, Willie Crow, R. W. Speece, J. G. Barry, H. J. Meyer, Barnitz Carle, Elmer Leinweber, Charles Monkhouse, Garland Martin and Miss Fannye Carle.

PAPER DELAYED.

Thursday evening about two P. M. the electric supply of Hondo was stopped and remained off until near five o'clock. The linotype machine and electric saw of the shop were forced out of service with the result that we are somewhat late this week. Changes in the train schedules have also forced another handicap on the crew, but they will work just a little harder and be ready on schedule next week.

NOTICE

To the people of Medina County, I am beginning May 1, 1931, to take orders for the Ramsey Nursey of Austin, Texas. Please hold your orders for fruit trees and shrubbery until you see me. Thanking you for past favors, I am

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3t M. A. CHANCEY,

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UPPER QUIHI NOTES.

SURPRISE PARTY.

A surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Emil Haby Saturday night, April 25. Those who were present were Mr. and Mrs. Alex Haby, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Schuehle, and son, John, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bendele, Jr., and son, Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Groff and children, Waymeh, Robert, Jr., and Engeline, Mr. and Mrs. Stearl Haby and daughters, Shirley and Darvine, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Haby, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Carle, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Haby, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spettle, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Haby and daughter, Glenrose, Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Haby, Mr. and Mrs. Steibring and daughters, Medeline and Lorine, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Wurzbach and son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Balzen and son, Myrlin, Mrs. Viola Schuehle and daughter, Doris Mae Etter, and Mrs. Christine Haby, Messrs. A. O., Albert, Jr., and Earl Beck, Andrew and Hobby Schuehle, Otto and Robert Sittre, Russell and Floyd Haby, Robert Burrel, Lee Mangold, Joe Wurzbach, Sergt. Bennett and Spettle Bendele.

The evening was whiled away in dancing and conversation. At midnight cakes, sandwiches and refreshments were served. At 2:30 o'clock

- D'Hanis Doings -

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

Miss Viola Koch

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Koch is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, MAY 6, 1931

SECO SCHOOL CLOSES.

The closing program of Seco School was presented on Friday, May 1, at 8 P. M. A large audience enjoyed the following: "Lantern Light," a short play of New England Witchcraft, rendered by the advanced pupils of the school; "The Happy Man," a dramatized fairy tale, by the primary pupils; and a 3-act comedy, "Beads on a String," by the Junior members of the P. T. A. In conclusion, Supt. W. N. Saathoff presented 9th Grade certificates to Alma Weynand, Howard Rothe and Mervin Poerner. Several boxes of candy and cakes were auctioned. The entire proceeds went to the P. T. A. fund.

On Saturday, May 2, the community assembled again to enjoy the ball game between Seco and D'Hanis teams, the latter winning by a score of 6-7. A barbecue concluded a very enjoyable day.

The P. T. A. held its final meeting during the afternoon, with Mrs. Louis Pichot presiding. The new officers took charge of their respective duties, reports were heard, and other business matters were disposed of.

Mrs. W. O. Rothe read an interesting resume of the year's work of the club as published in the April issue of the "Texas Parent Teacher." Miss Josie Rothe, principal, in her report announced that the essay written by Alma Weynand which took first place in the Medina County meet, took third place in the District Interscholastic Meet at Uvalde. She expressed appreciation of the splendid community who aided in this way to make the school year now closing a successful one. The president repeated this sentiment, and the meeting adjourned until September.

The Publicity Committee has received notice that the annual scrapbook, which was sent to the 5th District P. T. A. Conference at Beeville, was awarded the red star as second place winner in the district.

The book has been returned and is open for inspection to all persons interested.

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Dr. Deronkou is located in San Antonio and spends two days each week in Hondo.

The ease and fluency with which he speaks Spanish makes it easy for many of the people of Medina county to consult him.

But the doctor does not consider his Spanish as an acquisition because he has never given it analytical study. He does class Spanish with the seven other languages which he has mastered and which he also reads and writes.

"I am always glad to see my old patients," he says, "and I urge them to come to me for any further adjustments."

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BOON'S SPECIALS

For Friday, Saturday and Monday

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10 POUNDS SUGAR (Limit 10 Pounds)	\$.49
20 POUNDS SUGAR (Limit 20 Pounds)	1.00
100 POUNDS PURE CANE SUGAR	5.00
OUR BEST SALT PORK, Per Pound	.18
OUR BEST SMOKED BACON, Per Pound	.20
PINTO BEANS, Per Pound	.05
PINTO BEANS, 100 Pounds	4.00
BABY LIMA BEANS, Per Pound	.10
LARGE LIMA BEANS, Per Pound	.12
NAVY (WHITE) BEANS, Per Pound	.10
BLACK EYE PEAS, 3 Pounds	.25
OUR BEST RIC COFFEE, Per Pound	.12 1/2
OUR BEST PEABERRY COFFEE, Per Pound	.22
3 POUNDS SAN TONE COFFEE, Cup and Saucer	.75
3 POUNDS MAGNOLIA COFFEE, Cup and Saucer	.75
3 POUND CAN AVIATION COFFEE	.88
3 POUND CAN H. & H. COFFEE	.88
3 POUND CAN MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE	.88
4 POUNDS ARBUCKLES COFFEE	.88
3 SMALL CANS PEAS	.25
3 SMALL CANS CORN	.25
2 LARGE CANS PEAS	.25
2 LARGE CANS CORN	.25
2 LARGE CANS PETER PAN SALMON	.25
2 LARGE CANS SARDINES IN TOMATO SAUCE	.25
2 CANS IMPORTED SARDINES IN OIL	.25
7 CANS POTTED MEAT	.25
4 CANS VIENNA SAUSAGE	.25
3 SMALL CANS TOMATOES	.25
2 EXTRA LARGE CANS TOMATOES	.20
2 SMALL CANS PINEAPPLE	.20
MEDIUM SIZE PINEAPPLE	.25
LARGE CAN PINEAPPLE	.24
LARGE CAN DEL MONTE PEACHES	.24
LARGE CAN DEL MONTE APRICOTS	.24
GALLON CAN PEACHES	.55
GALLON CAN APPLES	.65
GALLON CAN APRICOTS	.07 1/2
ARMOUR'S PORK & BEANS	.10
CAMPBELL'S SOUPS	.10
ARMOUR'S CHILI CON CARNE	.23
GERBER'S AND VAN CAMP'S PURED VEGETABLES	.10
AND FRUITS	.14
LARGE CAN KRAUT	.09
SMALL CAN KRAUT	.25
1 POUND CAN CALUMET BAKING POWDER	.73
5 POUND CAN CALUMET BAKING POWDER	.73
GALLON CAN FARMER BOY SYRUP	.73
GALLON CAN MARY JANE SYRUP	.65
GALLON CAN WHITE KARO SYRUP	.48
LARGE CAN DARK KARO SYRUP	.25
3 PACKAGES SUPER SUDS	.25
3 BARS PALM OLIVE SOAP WITH 1 PACKAGE BEADS	.50
15 CAKES CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP	.19
QUART APPLE BUTTER	.45
2 POUND JAR PURE PRESERVES	.05
4 BOXES GOOD AND CHEAP MATCHES, Not All Perfect	.05

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